

H.R. 2741. A bill to clarify that, with respect to each Missouri River mainstem reservoir of the Corps of Engineers located in a State, the State maintains authority to allocate and appropriate the quantity of water in the reservoir that is attributable to the natural flows of the Missouri River within the boundaries of the State, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mrs. NOEM (for herself and Mr. CRAMER):

H.R. 2742. A bill to require the Army Corps of Engineers to notify the public of certain flood predictions regarding the Missouri River System, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. NUGENT:

H.R. 2743. A bill to make the National Parks and Federal Recreational Lands Pass available at a discount to certain veterans; to the Committee on Natural Resources, and in addition to the Committee on Agriculture, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. PAULSEN (for himself and Ms. SLAUGHTER):

H.R. 2744. A bill to amend part E of title IV of the Social Security Act to better enable State child welfare agencies to prevent sex trafficking of children and serve the needs of children who are victims of sex trafficking, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on the Judiciary, and Education and the Workforce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. ROHRABACHER (for himself, Mr. WITTMAN, Mr. LAMBORN, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. LATTA, Mr. GOSAR, Mrs. BLACK, Mr. MARCHANT, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. CULBERSON, Mrs. BACHMANN, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. DUNCAN of South Carolina, Mr. CONAWAY, Mr. JONES, Mr. ROGERS of Alabama, Mr. ALEXANDER, and Mr. DUNCAN of Tennessee):

H.R. 2745. A bill to amend title II of the Social Security Act to exclude from creditable wages and self-employment income wages earned for services by aliens illegally performed in the United States and self-employment income derived from a trade or business illegally conducted in the United States; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MCKINLEY (for himself, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. BISHOP of Georgia, Mr. RAHALL, Mrs. CAPITO, Mr. THOMPSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. ROE of Tennessee, Mr. WALDEN, Mr. COLLINS of New York, Mr. BARLETTA, Mr. STIVERS, Mr. JOHNSON of Ohio, Mr. HENSARLING, Mr. FITZPATRICK, Mr. GRAVES of Missouri, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, and Mr. ROHRABACHER):

H. Res. 305. A resolution expressing support for the 2013 Boy Scouts of America National Scout Jamboree in West Virginia; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. STOCKMAN:

H. Res. 306. A resolution providing for the consideration of the resolution (H. Res. 36) establishing a select committee to investigate and report on the attack on the United States consulate in Benghazi, Libya; to the Committee on Rules.

## MEMORIALS

Under clause 3 of rule XII, memorials were presented and referred as follows:

106. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Michigan, relative to House Resolution No. 71 memorializing the Congress to pass H.R. 1014; to the Committee on the Budget.

107. Also, a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Michigan, relative to House Resolution No. 85 urging the support for continuation of the STARBASE program; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

108. Also, a memorial of the Senate of the State of Nevada, relative to Senate Joint Resolution No. 5 urging the Congress to pass the Marketplace Fairness Act; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

## CONSTITUTIONAL AUTHORITY STATEMENT

Pursuant to clause 7 of rule XII of the Rules of the House of Representatives, the following statements are submitted regarding the specific powers granted to Congress in the Constitution to enact the accompanying bill or joint resolution.

By Mr. HUDSON:

H.R. 2719.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, section 8, clause 1; and Article I, section 8, clause 18 of the Constitution of the United States

By Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas:

H.R. 2720.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1

By Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California:

H.R. 2721.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1, 3, 18, of the Constitution of the United States; Article I, Section 9, Clause 7 of the Constitution of the United States.

By Mr. ELLISON:

H.R. 2722.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1.

By Mr. ENGEL:

H.R. 2723.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, section 8 of the United States Constitution

By Mr. GRIFFIN of Arkansas:

H.R. 2724.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1

The Congress shall have Power to lay and collect Taxes, Duties, Imposts and Excises, to pay the Debts and provide for the common Defence and general Welfare of the United States; but all Duties, Imposts and Excises shall be uniform throughout the United States.

By Mr. LANCE:

H.R. 2725.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3

By Mr. MILLER of Florida:

H.R. 2726.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8 of the United States Constitution

By Mr. MCKINLEY:

H.R. 2727.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

According to Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 of the Constitution: The Congress shall have power to enact this legislation to regulate commerce with foreign nations, and among the several states, and with the Indian tribes.

By Mr. FLORES:

H.R. 2728.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 4, Section 3, Clause 2

By Mr. ADERHOLT:

H.R. 2729.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Its ability to provide for the general welfare pursuant to Article 1, Section 8, Clause 1 and to make laws which are necessary and proper for carrying into execution the powers granted by Article 1, Section 8 as pursuant to Article 1, Section 8, Clause 18. This includes the power to enact laws that strengthen the management of federal housing assistance programs.

By Mr. CARTWRIGHT:

H.R. 2730.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 (relating to the power of Congress to regulate Commerce with foreign Nations, and among the several States, and with the Indian Tribes.)

By Mrs. BLACKBURN:

H.R. 2731.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1

By Mr. BURGESS:

H.R. 2732.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

The attached bill is constitutional under Article I, Section VIII: "The Congress shall have Power To lay and collect Taxes".

By Mr. CAMPBELL:

H.R. 2733.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Clause 3 of section 8 of article I of the Constitution of the United States.

By Mr. CASSIDY:

H.R. 2734.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1

By Mr. HUFFMAN:

H.R. 2735.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18

By Mr. LARSEN of Washington:

H.R. 2736.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

As described in Article 1, Section 1 "All legislative Powers herein granted shall be vested in a Congress of the United States, which shall consist of a Senate and House of Representatives."

By Mr. LEWIS:

H.R. 2737.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

This bill is enacted pursuant to the power granted to Congress under Article I of the United States Constitution and its subsequent amendments, and further clarified and interpreted by the Supreme Court of the United States.

By Mrs. LOWEY:

H.R. 2738.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following: